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**Applications and/or Amendments thereto filed with the Department
during the week ending December 27, 2002**

SUBPART B (formerly Subpart Q)

THE DUE DATE FOR ANSWERS, CONFORMING APPLICATIONS, OR MOTIONS TO MODIFY SCOPE ARE SET FORTH BELOW FOR EACH APPLICATION. FOLLOWING THE ANSWER PERIOD DOT MAY PROCESS THE APPLICATION BY EXPEDITED PROCEDURES. SUCH PROCEDURES MAY CONSIST OF THE ADOPTION OF A SHOW-CAUSE ORDER, A TENTATIVE ORDER, OR IN APPROPRIATE CASES, A FINAL ORDER WITHOUT FURTHER PROCEEDINGS.

Date Filed	Docket Number	Description
12-23-2002	OST-2002-14145	Mid-Atlantic Freight, Inc. Don Godwin 6423 Bryan Boulevard P.O. Box 35408 Greensboro, NC 27425-5408 Application of Mid-Atlantic Freight, Inc., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 41738 and Subpart B, requesting authority to operate scheduled passenger service as a commuter air carrier between Norfolk, VA, Pine Island, NC and Manteo, NC, with flights beginning and ending in Manteo, NC. Answers are due by January 13, 2003

Other Applications

Date Filed	Docket Number	Description
12-23-2002	OST-2002-14151	<p>International Air Transport Association David M. O'Connor, Director Government & Industry Affairs - U.S. 1776 K Street, NW., Suite 400 Washington, DC 20006 TC31 North and Central Pacific - TC3-Central America, South America PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0228 dated 19 November 2002 TC3-Central America, South America Resolutions r-1-r-14 Tables - PTC31 N&C/CIRC Fares 0096 dated 26 November 2002 Minutes - PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0232 dated 20 December 2002 Intended effective date: 1 April 2003</p>
12-23-2002	OST-2002-14164	<p>International Air Transport Association David O'Connor, Director Government & Industry Affairs - U.S. 1776 K Street, NW., Suite 400 Washington, DC 20006 TC31 North and Central Pacific and TC31 Circle Pacific PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0224 dated 19 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0225 dated 19 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0226 dated 19 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0227 dated 19 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0229 dated 19 November 2002 Minutes - PTC31 N&C/CIRC 0232 dated 20 December 2002 Tables - PTC31 N&C/CIRC FARES 0093 dated 26 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC FARES 0094 dated 26 November 2002 PTC31 N&C/CIRC FARES 0095 dated 26 November 2002 Intended effective date: 1 April 2003</p>
12-23-2002	OST-2002-14162	<p>Vega Airlines, Ltd. Mark W. Atwood Sher & Blackwell, LLP 1850 M Street, NW. Washington, DC 20036 Application of Vega Airlines Ltd., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 40109 and Subpart D, requesting an exemption to the extent necessary to engage in charter foreign air transportation of property and mail between a point or points in Bulgaria and a point or points in the United States, via intermediate points, and to operate all-cargo charter flights between the United States and third countries, pursuant to the provisions of Part 212.</p>

Date Filed	Docket Number	Description
12-23-2002	OST-2001-8922	<p>Northwest Airlines, Inc. Megan Rae Rosia, Managing Director Government Affairs & Associate General Counsel 901 15th Street, NW., Suite 310 Washington, DC 20005</p> <p>Application of Northwest Airlines, Inc., pursuant to Subpart C, requesting renewal of one U.S.-Philippines Route 2 frequency for all-cargo service, which Northwest utilizes to serve the U.S.-Manila market, via Tokyo.</p>
12-23-2002	OST-1996-1869	<p>Jet Rent, S.A. de C.V. Lee A. Bauer Roller & Bauer, PLLC 1020 19th Street, NW., Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036-6101</p> <p>Application of Jet Rent, S.A. de C.V., pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 40109 and Subpart D, requesting renewal of its exemption from 49 U.S.C. Section 41301, to engage in charter foreign air transportation of passengers between the United States and Mexico, and other passenger charter operations in accordance with 14 CFR Part 212, using small aircraft.</p>
12-27-2002	OST-1998-4796	<p>Thai Airways International Public Company Limited Cathleen P. Peterson Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering 2445 M Street, NW. Washington, DC 20037-1420</p> <p>Application of Thai Airways International Public Company Limited, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Section 40109 and Subpart C, requesting renewal of its exemption from 49 U.S.C. Section 41301, to engage in scheduled foreign air transportations of persons, property, and mail between Thailand and Atlanta, Dallas, Miami, New York, Chicago and Washington, DC, via Frankfurt and Munich, Germany (without local Germany-US. traffic rights), under a code-share arrangement with Lufthansa German Airlines.</p>

<p align="center">OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AVIATION (X-40) FOREIGN AND U.S. AIR CARRIER LICENSING DIVISIONS</p>

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**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
FIFTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK
ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

(Prior Approval Required By DOT Regulations (Part 212) and Orders)

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Condor	Chicago-Huatulco, Mexico 2 r.t. MIXED	*Apple Vacations West 1/4-11/03	Approved 12/17/02
Antonov Design Bureau	Moffett Field-Cayenne, Fr. Guiana 2 o.w. CARGO	Space Systems/Loral 1/4-31/03	Pending
	Ostrava, Czech Republic-Dayton, OH 1 o.w. CARGO	*First Consult Group 12/30-1/7/03	Approved 12/27/02
Volga-Dnepr	Houston-Njamena, Chad 1 o.w. CARGO	*SDV Oilfield 1/3-5/03	Pending
TACA	New York-Havana, Cuba 3 r.t. PAX	Marazul Charters 1/4-17/03	Approved 12/23/02
	Los Angeles-Havana, Cuba 3 r.t. PAX	*Cuba Travel Services 1/17-31/03	Pending
PrivatAir	New York-St. Johns, Antigua 1 o.w. PAX	Starflight Aviation 12/26/02	Approved 12/23/02
Allegro	U.S. pts.-Caribbean pts. 87 r.t. PAX	Funjet Vacations 5/23-9/1/03	Pending
Iberworld	Orlando-Manchester, England 1 o.w. PAX	*JMC Airlines 1/3/2003	Pending
Vega Airlines	Toulouse, France-Charlotte 1 o.w. CARGO	*Airbus Industries 12/25-26/02	Approved 12/24/02

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION UNDER SECTION 212.9

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
THIRD/FOURTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING
WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

(Prior Approval Required By DOT Regulations (Part 212) and Orders.)

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
China Southern	Pudong, PRC-Guam 1 o.w. CARGO	*Emery Forwarding 1/4-6/03	Pending
	Guangzhou, PRC-Saipan 2 r.t. CARGO	*Tinian Dynasty Travel 2/2-8/03	Pending

**APPLICATIONS FOR UNDOCKETED EXEMPTION AUTHORITY
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

(Exemptions Filed on Form OST 4536)
* Denotes Applications Received This Week

Applicant

Description of Operations

Action Taken

None

**14 CFR PART 375 PERMIT APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

* Denotes Applications Received This Week

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Description of Operations</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
MAXim Aviation	Conduct flights over California, using NZ-registered aircraft, Cresco 750 and PAC 750 XL, carrying recreational parachutists/skydivers, for an indefinite period	Pending
	Conduct flights over California, using NZ-registered aircraft, Cresco 08-600, carrying recreational parachutists/skydivers, through 9/10/03	Pending
Avialeasing	*Flt routing for 1 rt cargo charter flt Houston-Trinidad & Tobago, with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 12/21/02	Approved 12/20/02
	*Flt routings for 2 daily rt cargo charter flts Miami-Bahamas, with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 1/1-2/1/03	Approved 12/27/02
	*Flt routings for 1 weekly rt cargo charter flt Miami-Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 1/1-2/1/03	Approved 12/27/02
	*Flt routings for 4 weekly rt cargo charter flts Miami-Curacao with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 1/1-2/1/03	Approved 12/27/02
	*Flt routings for 1 weekly rt cargo charter flt Miami-Providenciales, T & T, with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 1/1-2/1/03	Approved 12/27/02
	*Flt routings for 3 weekly rt cargo charter flts Miami-Guantanamo Bay, with Uzbekistan-registered AN-12 (UK1141800) or AN-26 (UK26001/02 or UR-GLS) aircraft, 1/1-2/1/03	Approved 12/27/02

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
PART 216 SPECIAL AUTHORIZATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

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Applicant

Points to be Served/Period Requested

Action Taken

None

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
PART CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served/ Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
VARIG	Carry transit scheduled traffic between Brazil and Japan on behalf of All Nippon Airways on VARIG's regularly-scheduled Brazil-Los Angeles-Japan single-plane flights, for one year.	Pending
Laker Airways	Carry transit scheduled traffic between Rockford and Freeport on Laker Airways regularly-scheduled Cincinnati-Freedport Single Entity flight, 1/16-20/03	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Lan Chile	Lima-U.S. points 370 r.t. MIXED	Lan Peru S.A. 9/15/01-9/15/02	Approved thru 5/13/02 on 3/5/02 Remainder pending
	Guayaquil/Quito-NY/Miami As necessary	Lan Ecuador 12/15/02-12/15/04	Pending
Lan Chile Cargo	Mexico-United States 250 r.t. CARGO	Mas de Carga 8/11/02-2/11/03	Approved thru 10/14/02 on 8/14/02 Remainder pending
	Chile-United States As necessary	Lan Chile 1/2/03-1/2/05	Pending
Aero Continente Chile	Port-au-Prince-Miami 260 r.t. PAX	Haiti Aviation 12/21/02-12/21/03	Approved thru 2/11/03 on 12/11/02 Remainder pending
Air Memphis	Amman, Jordan-New York 40 r.t. CARGO	Royal Jordanian** 7/12/02-2/28/03	Pending
Icelandair	Dominican Republic pts-JFK 14 weekly r.t. PAX	Aeromar 5/23/02-11/1/03	Approved thru 5/23/03 on 11/12/02 Remainder pending
Martinair Holland	U.S.-Colombia/Venezuela As necessary CARGO	TAMPA 10/1/02-9/30/05	Approved thru 1/26/03 on 11/20/02 Remainder pending
European Aviation Air Charter	JFK-Banjul, Gambia 104 r.t. MIXED	Afrinat Int'l 9/30/02-9/30/03	Approved thru 11/30/02 on 9/30/02 Remainder dismissed 12/26/02

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Air Atlanta Icelandic	Cordoba/Buenos Aires-Miami As necessary	Southern Winds 7/15/02-7/15/03	Remainder approved 12/13/02
	New York-Santo Domingo-Miami- Santo Domingo-New York daily MIXED	Aeromar 6/15-12/15/03	Approved thru 6/15/03 on 12/10/02 Remainder pending
	Santiago-New York 712 r.t. MIXED	Aeromar 11/23/02-11/22/03	Approved thru 5/26/03 on 11/26/02 Remainder pending
TAMPA	Miami-Paramaribo, Surinam 52 r.t. CARGO	Surinam Airways 11/8/02-11/7/03	Approved thru 3/6/03 on 12/30/02 Remainder pending
LACSA	Guayaquil, Ecuador-New York As necessary MIXED	TACA Ecuador 11/22/02-11/22/04	Approved thru 1/22/03 on 11/22/02 Remainder pending
Trans Meridian (TACA Peru)	Ecuador-U.S. points As necessary	TACA Ecuador 12/18/02-12/18/04	Approved thru 2/19/03 on 12/19/02 Remainder pending
TACA Intl	Ecuador-U.S. As necessary	TACA Ecuador 12/18/02-12/18/04	Approved thru 2/19/03 on 12/19/02 Remainder pending

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LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
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None

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
CODE-SHARE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
KLM	U.S.-Amsterdam-Kano, Nigeria 52 r.t. (weekly) COMBI	Northwest ** 2/1/94-2/1/95	Pending
	U.S.-Amsterdam-Belgrade Daily COMBI	Northwest 5/1/97-One Year	Pending
Aviateca	Houston-Guatemala City Daily COMBI	Continental ** 6/1/96-6/1/98	Pending
British Midland	London-Dublin Unlimited PAX	United 2/13-4/27/96	Pending
Aeroflot	Moscow-Miami via Shannon As necessary PAX	Continental 4/98-4/00	Pending
China Airlines	Taipei-Jakarta/Kuala Lumpur/ Singapore/Ho Chi Minh City/Miami Daily CARGO	American ** two years	Approved in part thru 12/30/99 on 12/30/97 Remainder pending
Cargolux/Lufthansa	Frankfurt/Luxembourg/Shannon/U.S. Daily CARGO	Cargolux/Lufthansa 11/14/98-11/14/00	Pending
LOT	JFK/ORD-Warsaw, Poland Daily COMBI	American 2/2/99-indefinite	Pending
Lauda Air	Vienna-Munich-Miami Daily PAX	Lufthansa 6/19/98-6/19/00	Pending
Aeropostal	Miami/San Juan-Venezuela & Within Venezuela Daily COMBI	American Indefinite	Pending
Virgin Atlantic	9 U.S. Points-London/Manchester Daily COMBI	Continental Airlines 10/3/98-two years	Pending

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CODE-SHARE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
United	Miami-Caracas, Venezuela Daily COMBI (No local traffic)	Air Canada 1/4/99-indefinite	Pending
Amerijet	Miami-Pointe a Pitre-Fort de France 1 weekly CARGO	Air France ** One Year	Pending
American	Miami-Asuncion, Paraguay Daily COMBI	TAM 9/23/98-indefinite	Pending
	U.S.-Venezuela; within U.S. for through traffic Daily COMBI	Aeropostal Indefinite	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER INTERMODAL CARGO APPLICATIONS
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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(Approvals Required by Part 222 of DOT Regulations)

Initial Applications

<u>Name</u>	<u>Citizenship</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Answers Due</u>	<u>Status</u>
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None				
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NOTE: Objections to the above application(s) should be addressed to: the U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, Room 6412, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, by the answer date listed above.

**U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR DESIGNATION/NOTIFICATION FILED PURSUANT
TO AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002**

**Name and Address
of Applicant**

**Markets for Which
Approval is Sought**

**Response
Due**

None

Note: Designation requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file competing requests or responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division (X-44), 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.

U.S.-MEXICO DORMANCY NOTICES¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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**Date of
Letter**

Carrier

Market(s) Identified as Dormant

None

¹ Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. We have directed carriers to file such notices as soon as the decision not to inaugurate service or to discontinue service (other than seasonally) is made, but in no case later than the 91st day of dormancy.

U.S.-MEXICO NOTICES OF SEASONAL/INTERMITTENT SERVICES ¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 27, 2002

**Date of
Letter**

Carrier

**Market(s) Identified as
Seasonal/Intermittent**

None

¹ Pursuant to Order 96-11-24, U.S. carriers certificated for all-cargo services under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to identify seasonal/intermittent services.

U.S.-CARRIER REQUESTS TO CONVERT SERVICES
CODE-SHARE/DIRECT-CARRIER¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Date of</u> <u>Letter</u>	<u>Carrier</u>	<u>Market</u>	<u>Type of Service</u> <u>(From/To)</u>	<u>Answers Due</u>
None				

¹ Pursuant to Order 99-6-6, U.S. carriers are required to file notice with the Department for approval to convert authorized nonstop transborder code-share operations from direct carrier service (designation), to service involving only the displaying of its code on another Mexican or U.S. carrier's flights (code-share only authorization), or vice versa.

**U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF 90-DAY
START-UP DATE CONDITION PURSUANT TO
AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT,
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Name and Address of Carrier</u>	<u>Markets for Which Extension is Sought *</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
None		

¹ Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated/designated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department if they fail to inaugurate service within the 90-day start-up period, or when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. In Order 88-10-30, we stated that we would entertain requests for extensions/exemption from the 90-day start-up period for good cause shown. Such requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.